

## 2013 Youth Baseball



Registration for children ages 3-14 will begin Wednesday, January 2, 2013. The cost per child will be \$75.00 for Residents and \$105.00 for Non-Residents. Cost includes uniform shirt/hat/socks and a participation trophy at the end of the season.

**(If you sign up before January 19, 2013 you will receive a \$10 discount.)**

Coaches and Sponsors are needed. Please contact the Leisure Services office for more information at 964-8820.



## JANUARY 2013

### Calendar of Events

Jan 3	9:00 a.m.	Travel Club Meeting
Jan 8	10:00 a.m.	Code Enforcement Hearing
Jan 8	6:30 p.m.	Land Development
Jan 10	7:30 p.m.	Regular Council
Jan 15	7:00 p.m.	Library Board
Jan 17	7:00 p.m.	Leisure Services Board
Jan 24	7:30 p.m.	Regular Council

**MARK (X) THESE DATES**



January 2013

226 Cypress Lane, Palm Springs 33461

Visit our website at [www.vpsfl.org](http://www.vpsfl.org)

## COUNCIL News

The Village Council meets on the second and fourth Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the Village Hall. Agendas and minutes are posted on the website.

Approved, with conditions, a site plan and special exception use for construction of a RaceTrac Gas Station/Store to be located on the southwest corner of Lake Worth Road and South Congress Avenue.

Approved an "Hours of Operation" waiver for Racetrac Gas Station/Store to located on the southwest corner of Lake Worth Road and South Congress Avenue, to allow a 24 hour operation.

Approved four sign variances to allow additional awnings and price lettering for RaceTrac Gas Station/Store, to be located on the southwest corner of Lake Worth Road and South Congress Avenue.

Approved a Labor Agreement with Palm Beach County Police Benevolent Association (PBA) for October 1, 2012 through September 30, 2015, for all police officers and Sergeants.

Approved a Temporary Land Use for a vacant parcel located at 3475 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue North, for the continued purpose of outdoor storage of motor vehicles for Off Lease Auto Sales at 3531 Lake Worth Road, for a period of two years.

Renewed a temporary license agreement with United Cerebral Palsy Association of Miami, Inc. to allow excess employee parking for the Off Lease Auto Sales business at 3531 Lake Worth Road.

Renewed a temporary license agreement with Pronto Enterprises of Palm Beach Inc. to allow retail overflow parking for the Off Lease Auto Sales business at 3531 Lake Worth Road.

Issued a Mayor's Proclamation recognizing Veteran's Day and asking all

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citizens to remember the sacrifices of all those who fought so valiantly to preserve our freedom.

The **Land Development Board** makes recommendations on land issues such as building site plans, annexations, special exceptions, land use and zoning, and also functions as a quasi-judicial board hearing applications for variances from the Land Development Code; **Construction Board of Adjustment and Appeals** hears cases when there is an appeal to a decision of the Building Official, and the **Library Board** recommends improvements to expand library services and also recommends programs and activities that will best serve the residents. Pick up an application from the Village Clerk or download an application on the website. For further information call the Village Clerk at 965-4010.

### YOUR VILLAGE OFFICIALS

Bev Smith,	Mayor
Joni Brinkman,	Vice Mayor
Patti Waller,	Mayor Pro Tem
Doug Gunther,	Council Member
Sergio Escalada,	Council Member
Karl Umberger,	Village Manager
Glen J. Torcivia,	Village Attorney
Virginia Walton,	Village Clerk

**TRAVEL Club**  
964-8820



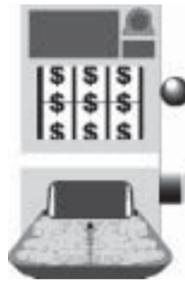
The Travel Club meetings are held the first Thursday of every month at 9:00 a.m. in the Community Room of Village Hall. **All trips are open to members only and costs are non-refundable unless the trip is cancelled by the Palm Springs Leisure Services Department.** Trip minimums must be met in order for trips to take place. Trips often fill up before deadline dates - make your reservations early! If you know of any members who are sick, may be hospitalized or have suffered a loss, please contact Dani Bailey at 964-8820 to send them a card.

**Emergency Contact Information** – We need names and numbers for people who will not be accompanying you on trips to contact in case of an emergency. Our computer system can store at least 10 emergency contacts per person. Please update this information next time you are at the Leisure Services office.

**UPCOMING TRIPS:**

**January 14 Coconut Creek Casino**

Members will depart Palm Springs at 9:15 a.m. and receive \$15 in Free Play and a \$5 Food Coupon (good at the buffet and 2 other restaurants on the premises!) The cost is \$16 and the deadline is January 4<sup>th</sup>.



**January 26 "Singin' in the Rain" (TRIP IS FULL)**

Members will depart Palm Springs at 11:00 a.m. for lunch TBA and then to the Maltz Jupiter Theatre to see "Singin' in the Rain", a high-energy romantic comedy filled with song-and-dance numbers, including "Good Morning," "Make 'Em Laugh" and, of course, "Singin' In the Rain." Complete with glittery showgirls, comical characters and an onstage rainstorm, this delightful extravaganza will leave you happy again!

**February 12 Gulfstream Casino**

Members will depart Palm Springs at 9:00 a.m. and receive \$10 in Free Play & a \$7 Lunch coupon. The cost is \$16 and the deadline is February 7<sup>th</sup>.

**February 22 Morikami Museum & Japanese Gardens**

Members will depart Palm Springs at 9:45 a.m. for the Morikami Gardens to enjoy a guided tour and discover South Florida's heritage and its connection with Japan, plus explore a series of six diverse gardens inspired by a different historical period and style of Japanese gardening. The cost is \$43 and the deadline is February 7<sup>th</sup>.

**March 7 Spring Training Game**

Members will depart Palm Springs (on the Village bus) at 11:15 a.m. for Jupiter to see the spring training game of the St. Louis Cardinals vs. New York Yankees and receive \$10 in concession money to purchase lunch. The cost is \$41 and the deadline is February 7<sup>th</sup>.



**April 20 & 21 Ft. Myers**

Members will depart Palm Springs for the casino in Immokalee and receive \$30 in free play and a \$5 lunch coupon. Then taking time to relax after checking in at the Residence Inn, head to the Broadway Palm Dinner Theatre to see "Menopause the Musical" (men will find this just as hilarious as the women). The next morning, enjoy some casual shopping time on 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue in Naples (you will find a "Best of Everything" shop there) and have a delicious lunch at Altins (also located on 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue). The cost is \$142 per person for double occupancy or \$172 for single occupancy and the deadline for payment is February 22<sup>nd</sup>.



**LEISURE Services**  
964-8820

**Winter Camp**

The Village of Palm Springs will be offering a Winter Camp for children ages 5 (must be enrolled in kindergarten) to 12 during the winter school break. The camp runs Wednesday, December 26<sup>th</sup>, 2012, through Monday, January 7<sup>th</sup>, 2013. ( No Camp January 1<sup>st</sup>) Camp hours will be 7:00a.m until 6:00p.m. with field trips scheduled between 9:00a.m and 4:00 p.m. Registration is going on now. The cost of the camp is \$192.00 for the entire session. Included in the fee are T-shirt, all field trips, arts & crafts supplies. For more information, contact the Leisure Services department at 964-8820.

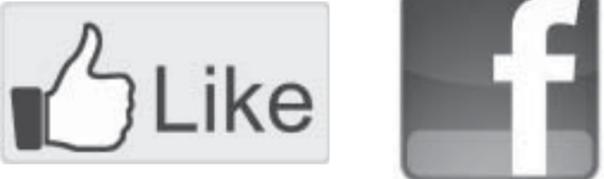
**Recreational Wednesday's**

Our Leisure Activities Building (By the Basketball Courts) will be open from 4p.m till 6p.m. Children ages 8 & Up can come after school to use basketballs, play board games, build with Lego's. This is a drop in program where children can come & go as they please. For more information contact Karen at 964-8820.

**Mommy & Me Playtime Group**

Do you have children under 5 and would like to get together with other Mom's? We would like to start a Tuesday morning playgroup for you and your child. Age appropriate games, stories, crafts, music & free play time will be offered. For more information and to get your name on the list contact Karen at 964-8820. This program will begin in January.

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**Palm Springs Police Department**  
**968-8243**

The PSPD 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Stuff A Cruiser was a great success! Thank you to all those residents and visitors who participated. Additionally, we would like to show appreciation to the following businesses: Larguilucho Party Entertainment, KIA Motors, Blast Off Equipment, Eyeglass World, Padron Flooring, Harbor Freight Tools, C & D Produce, Tropical Bakery, Kid's College, Woody's Car Wash, Metro PCS, The Home Depot, Bennett Auto Supply, La Familia Pawn & Jewelry, Pier 1 Imports, Ross, Iberia Bank, El Bodegon, Walmart, All-Green of S. Florida, Gourmet Food Trucks, Kiwanis of Palm Springs, Village of Palm Springs employees, and many more. We thank you for making our community: "A Great Place to Call Home."



**Village Department Phone Numbers**

Administration / Human Resources .....	965-4011
Village Clerk .....	965-4010
Land Development .....	965-4016
Leisure Services .....	964-8820
Library .....	965-2204
Finance .....	965-4013
Police .....	968-8243
Code Enforcement .....	988-8243
Public Works .....	965-4022
Utility Department .....	965-5770

# TAKE A CLASS!

Register with instructor on first day of class.

## Exercise



### Beginner Strength, Dance & Stretch

Includes mat work, bands & weights

DAY	TIME	AGES	ROOM	COST	INSTRUCTOR	PHONE
Thurs	9 - 10a	Adult	Studio	\$60/mo	Pat Mieszczeni	969-0686

### Chair Exercise (Men & Women) (No class Jan 21)

Class will include strengthening, stretching, movement, and chair exercises with small balls, weights & bands

DAY	TIME	AGES	ROOM	COST	INSTRUCTOR	PHONE
Mon	10-11a	Adult	Studio	\$36	Pat Mieszczeni	969-0686 (3 classes)

BEGINNER

or

Thurs	10-11a	Adult	Studio	\$60	Pat Mieszczeni	969-0686 (5 classes)
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INTERMEDIATE

\*Special rate to take both classes \$90

### Fast Aerobic Workout at Barre and Center (No class Jan 21)

DAY	TIME	AGES	ROOM	COST	INSTRUCTOR	PHONE
Mon	8:30-9 a	Adult	Studio	\$18	Pat Mieszczeni	969-0686 (3 classes)

or

Wed	8:30-9 a	Adult	Studio	\$30	Pat Mieszczeni	969-0686 (5 classes)
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Or

Fri	8:30-9 a	Adult	Studio	\$24	Pat Mieszczeni	969-0686 (4 classes)
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### Fit For Life (Mon 8:45, Wed & Fri 8:30) (No classes Jan 21)

Aerobics with continuous training to develop the overall body

Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays (prices are per month)

DAYS A WEEK	AGES	ROOM	COST	INSTRUCTOR	PHONE
2	Adult	Studio	\$110	Pat Mieszczeni	969-0686 (10 classes)
3	Adult	Studio	\$132	Pat Mieszczeni	969-0686 (12 classes)

### FREE!! Mayo Clinic Chair Stretch & Strength Class

Call Pat Mieszczeni 969-0686

### Tai Chi - New Seniors Class

Moving for Better Balance - Call for a FREE CLASS Pat Mieszczeni 969-0686

### Teen Aerobics, Strength & Stretch

Includes mat work, bands & weights

DAY	TIME	AGES	ROOM	COST	INSTRUCTOR	PHONE
Thurs	5 - 6p	13 & Up	Studio	\$48/mo	Pat Mieszczeni	969-0686



### Yoga

Learn "Yoga by Steph". This class is not just for beginners! Breathe, be peaceful, and centered. Take the time to stretch and relax. Make sure to bring your own yoga mat.

DAY	TIME	AGES	ROOM	COST	INSTRUCTOR	PHONE
Tues	7 - 8p	Teen-Adult	Studio	\$8/class	Stephanie Ader	254-8371

### Zumba (MAKE SURE TO CALL INSTRUCTOR TO PRE-REGISTER!!)

This class features exotic rhythms set to high-energy Latin and international beats. Before participants know it, they're getting fit and their energy levels are soaring! It's easy to do, effective and totally exhilarating!

DAY	TIME	AGES	ROOM	COST	INSTRUCTOR	PHONE
Tues	6 - 7p	Adult	Studio	\$7/class	Gisselle Koury	967-8318
Thurs	6 - 7p	Adult	Multi	\$7/class	Gisselle Koury	967-8318

OR pre pay for 6-8 week classes only \$5 per class!

## Dance Classes



### Ballet for Beginners (Ages 3-8)

DAY	TIME	AGES	ROOM	COST	INSTRUCTOR	PHONE
Thurs	11:15-12 p	3-4	Studio	\$48	Pat Mieszczeni	969-0686
Tues	3 - 4 p	5-6	Studio	\$48	Pat Mieszczeni	969-0686
Tues	4 - 5 p	7-8	Studio	\$48	Pat Mieszczeni	969-0686

## Preschool Classes



### Pre School Motor Skills

DAY	TIME	AGES	ROOM	COST	INSTRUCTOR	PHONE
Wed	9:45 - 10:30 a	3-5	Studio	\$48	Pat Mieszczeni	969-0686



## Martial Arts



### Judo

Judo, an Olympic sport, is the martial art most practiced in the world and improves fitness as well as self-esteem. Our club and instructors are certified nationally as well as in Florida.

DAY	TIME	AGES	ROOM	COST	INSTRUCTOR	PHONE
Wed	6:30-8:00p	7-Adult	L.A.B.	****	Jorge Miranda	452-5755
Mon	6:30-8:00p	7-Adult	L.A.B.	****	Jorge Miranda	452-5755
Sat	10:30-12:30	7-Adult	L.A.B.	****	Jorge Miranda	452-5755

\*\*\*\*1 Day per week \$25 per month/2 Days per week \$45 per month\*\*\*\*

### Karate

Shotokan Karate Do training is divided into three parts: *kihon* (basics), *kata* (forms or patterns of moves), and *kumite* (sparring) and teaches discipline, self trust, self defense, respect and organization.

DAY	TIME	AGES	ROOM	COST	INSTRUCTOR	PHONE
M/Thur	5-8p	7-Adult	Studio	\$70/mo	Renaldo Roach	(617)312-6788

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Wed	6:30-8p					
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## Educational



### Do You Want More Money in Your Pocket? FREE!!!

Are you tired of paying late charges every month? Is your budget in very sad shape or non-existent? Are you losing money every month? Get more money in your pocket each and every month with the technique!! Susanne Carroll is one of your neighbors in Palm Springs who wants to share her life changing experience with you. Please contact Susanne Carroll at (561) 965-9363 for more details.

### Never Play Tennis Alone Again!

Join the team! Season 5 of Youth Tennis at Palm Springs registration is going on now! Opening day will be February 9 and the playoffs will be April 27.

For more information visit our website [www.allamericanteamtennis.com](http://www.allamericanteamtennis.com) or call (561) 578-9914



## Welcome To The Village Cook!

Here is a quick grab & go breakfast that not only travels well, it is tasty, too. Perfect lunchboxes, too.

### French Toast Breakfast Muffins

#### Ingredients

- 12 slices bread, cubed
- 4 eggs
- 1/3 cup sugar
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1/4 cup milk

#### Instructions

1. In a large bowl, combine the egg, milk, sugar, vanilla and cinnamon in a bowl.
2. Add the bread cubes and stir to coat & moisten.
3. Spoon into greased foil lined baking cups
4. Bake in a preheated 350 for 17-20 minutes.
5. Syrup is optional.



Please Visit Our Website:  
[www.vpsfl.org](http://www.vpsfl.org)



**Library Cinema** – catch an afternoon matinee movie. Stop in for movie listings and times or call Michele at 965-2204 to reserve your seat.

**Check out eBooks!** Download and enjoy books on your computer, smartphone, iPod, Kindle or Nook. All you need is your library card! Visit [www.vpslibrary.org](http://www.vpslibrary.org) for more information and instructions on how to download books. Click on the link to **ebooks**. Staff is available to assist. For more information, please call 965-2204.

#### **Village Offers College Scholarship**

The Village of Palm Springs will once again award scholarships to Palm Springs graduating high school seniors. Applications will be available at the Village Clerk's office or in high school guidance offices. Applicants must be residents of Palm Springs. Deadline to submit applications is 4:30 p.m. Thursday, February 28<sup>th</sup>.

**Friends of the Library Membership Drive**- The Friends are the heart of the Palm Springs Library, supporting programs of interest for all ages. Your membership fee not only entitles you to a cobalt blue coffee mug, but also includes several other benefits. Stop at the library for details. Membership today will expire December 2013.

**Crafting with Buttons!** – enjoy making a craft with buttons. Bring your own or use ours, Friday, January 4<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 p.m. All materials provided, please preregister at the circulation desk.

**Science Club** – Science Club meets twice a month on Mondays at 4:00 p.m.

- January 14: Science Fair: help with displays
- January 28: Science Fair: how to research for your paper.

For more information, contact Mary Helen Sakellarios at 965-2204.

**Cuentos en español** meets on the second Tuesday evening of the month.

January 8 at 7:00 p.m., *el martes el 8 de enero a las 7:00 pm. El tema es los cuentos favoritos.*

This program is bilingual in Spanish and English. Families are welcome.

**Toddler Storytime** will run for eight weeks starting January 29<sup>th</sup> and continues until March 19<sup>th</sup> on Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m. This program will introduce pre-reading skills to children from 12 to 30 months who are accompanied by a parent or caregiver. Registration is limited. Please register at the main desk of the Library.

**Preschool Storytime** meets each Wednesday at 10:30a.m. for children from 30 months until they start school. They listen to stories, sing songs, and participate in activities that will help them build pre-reading skills. It is also a good time for parents to enjoy a few quiet minutes in a busy day. No registration is required for this program. Parents or caregivers must stay in the building.

**Bedtime Storytime** is to help children age 2 to 8 learn to love reading. Working parents and their children will enjoy Bedtime Storytime at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday evenings. For more information contact Mary Helen Sakellarios at 965-2204.

**Teen Gamerz** - Attention Teen Gamerz! Challenge your friends or yourself in TeenSpace Gamerz, Saturday, January 12<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 p.m. and Monday, January 28<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 p.m. Rock Band, Crash, Knock Out and other exciting games are provided. For more information, contact Michele at 965-2204.

#### **Library Hours**

Monday through Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 8:30 p.m.  
Friday through Saturday 9:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.  
Closed Sunday



The library will be closed Tuesday January 1<sup>st</sup> for New Years and Monday, January 21<sup>st</sup> for Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

## **Notice Village General Election March 12, 2013**

The Village General Election will be held on March 2, 2013, for Mayor, Council Member in District 1 and Council Member in District 3. Any person who has continuously been a resident of the Village of Palm Springs for one (1) year preceding the date of qualification, who is 18 years of age or over, and is a registered voter of the Village, will be eligible to hold office. The candidate for a Council Seat must reside within the District he or she wishes to represent. Candidates must file written notice with the Village Clerk. Qualifying (filing) will open at NOON on Tuesday, January 29, 2013 and close at NOON on Tuesday, February 12, 2013. Filing will be held during regular business hours, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. The filing fee is \$178.00 for Mayor and \$166.00 for a Council seat. Contact the Village Clerk at 965-4010 for additional information on becoming a candidate.

Bev Smith currently holds the Mayor's position. Doug Gunther currently holds the Council Member position for District 1. Sergio Escalada currently holds the Council Member position for District 3.

Absentee ballots may be obtained by calling the Supervisor of Elections in Palm Beach County at 656-6200 or by filling out a form on their website at <http://pbcelections.org/voteinfo.htm>. Please make your request after January 1.

Virginia M. Walton, MMC  
Village Clerk

## **Aviso de Elecciones Generales del Pueblo 12 de marzo de 2013**

Las Elecciones Generales del Pueblo se llevarán a cabo el 12 de marzo de 2013 para Alcalde, Miembro del Consejo del Distrito 1 y Miembro del Consejo del Distrito 3. Cualquier persona que continuamente haya sido residente del Pueblo de Palm Springs por un (1) año anterior a la fecha de calificación y que tenga 18 años de edad o más, y que sea un votante inscrito en el Pueblo podrá ser elegido. El candidato para un escaño en el Consejo tendrá que residir en el distrito que quiera representar. Los candidatos tienen que presentar notificación escrita en la Secretaría del Pueblo. La Calificación empieza el MEDIODÍA del martes, 29 de enero de 2013 y termina el MEDIODÍA del martes, 12 de febrero de 2013. Se puede postular durante horas hábiles regulares, 8:00 a.m. a 4:30 p.m. de lunes a viernes. La cuota de postulación es \$178.00 para Alcalde y \$166.00 para un escaño en el Consejo. Comuníquese con la Secretaria del Pueblo al 965-4010 para mayor información acerca de la candidatura.

Actualmente, Bev Smith tiene el puesto de Alcalde. Doug Gunther ocupa el puesto de Miembro del Consejo para el Distrito 1. Sergio Escalada actualmente tiene el puesto de Miembro del Consejo para el Distrito 3.

Se puede obtener balotas se ausente al llamar al Supervisor de Elecciones en el Condado de Palm Beach al 656-6200 o al llenar un formulario en su sitio web en <http://pbcelections.org/voteinfo.htm>. Por favor haga su solicitud después del 1<sup>o</sup> de enero.

Virginia M. Walton, MMC  
Village Clerk

### **Veteran's of Foreign Wars Post # 4360**

222 Cypress Lane • Palm Springs Fl 33461  
**561-439-4515**

**TUESDAYS - BINGO 7:00 PM** (CALL FOR MENU 561-439-4515)

**FRIDAYS - DINNER 6:00 PM** (CALL FOR MENU 561-439-4515)

**KARAOKE 7:00PM**

**SUNDAYS - BAR BINGO 5:00 PM**

### **JANUARY 6, 2013 - BENEFIT BINGO**

LUNCH SERVED AT 12:00 NOON

BINGO STARTS AT 1:00 PM

PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT BOYS STATE AND GIRLS STATE

**\*\*\*THESE EVENTS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**